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Re: OU2 Remedial Investigation Workplan ADDENDUM  
Response to Government Comments of August 16, 2011  
Shieldalloy Metallurgical Corporation Facility - Newfield, NJ

Dear Ms. Henry:

Thank you for the government's timely comments on our May 2011 Operable Unit 2 (OU2) Remedial Investigation (RI) Workplan documents, and our ongoing discussions, including today's. TRC is offering this Addendum, including certain revised figures and a detailed response to comments. Based on our understanding, this addendum addresses the government's comments. TRC will revise and resubmit only the OU2 Quality Assurance Project Plan (QAPP). This addendum, along with the Supplemental RI Workplan will constitute the primary document. The human health and ecological risk comments/responses will be addressed in the subsequent deliverable.

As you know, we'd like to start the remedial investigation work in early October. If the EPA can concur on this addendum, we will promptly revise/resubmit the QAPP.

Please feel free to call anytime to discuss this work.

Regards,

TRC

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Patrick J. Hansen'.

Patrick J. Hansen, PE  
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Attachments  
cc: Donna Gaffigan, NJDEP



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